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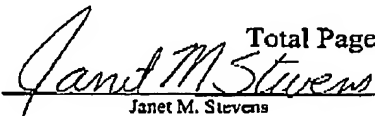
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TOTAL CLAIMS	19	MINUS	20	0	\$50.00	\$00.00
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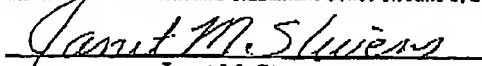
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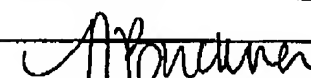
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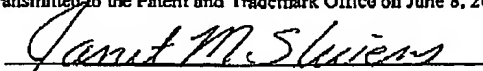
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 8, 2006, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins  
on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.